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<td>6:50</td>
<td>The President had breakfast.</td>
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<td>The President went to the Oval Office.</td>
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<td>The President went to the South Grounds of the White House.</td>
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<td>The President flew by helicopter from the South Grounds to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX &quot;A.&quot;</td>
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<td>7:52</td>
<td>The President flew by Air Force One Jetstar from Andrews AFB to Douglas Municipal Airport, Charlotte, North Carolina. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX &quot;B.&quot;</td>
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<td>The President was greeted by: Governor James E. Holshouser (R-North Carolina) Congressman James G. Martin (R-North Carolina) Mrs. James G. Martin Mrs. Parks M. (Margaret) King, Jr., Co-Chairman of the North Carolina State President Ford Committee (PFC) J.M. &quot;Jim&quot; Peden, Jr., Co-Chairman of the North Carolina State PFC Phil Gerdes, Chairman of the 9th Congressional District of North Carolina PFC Brig. Gen. William J. Payne, Assistant Adjutant General of North Carolina The President participated in a question and answer session with members of the press.</td>
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<td>9:04</td>
<td>The President went to his motorcade.</td>
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<td>The President motored from the Douglas Municipal Airport to the Woodlawn Holiday Inn, 212 Woodlawn. He was accompanied by: Governor Holshouser Congressman Martin Mrs. Martin The President was greeted by: Robert Dawson, General Manager of the Woodlawn Holiday Inn Mrs. Robert Dawson</td>
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The President was introduced by Governor Holshouser.

The President addressed approximately 4,000 persons attending the convention.

The President, accompanied by Governor Holshouser and Congressman Martin, returned to his motorcade.

The Presidential party motored from the Charlotte Civic Center to the Woodlawn Holiday Inn.

The President returned to his suite.

The President had lunch.


The President talked with Mrs. Howard (Susan) Virkler, Jr., Co-Chairman of the Mecklenburg County, North Carolina PFC. Mrs. Virkler was hospitalized for pneumonia.

The President talked with the First Lady.

The President returned to his motorcade.

The President and Governor Holshouser motored from the Woodlawn Holiday Inn to the Mecklenburg County PFC Headquarters, Park Selwyn Building, 5200 Park Road.

The President was greeted by Laurence A. Cobb, State Representative (R-North Carolina) and Co-Chairman of the Mecklenburg County, North Carolina PFC.

The President went to the telephone bank center. Enroute, the President greeted PFC volunteers and members of the community gathered for his visit.

The President toured the Mecklenburg County, North Carolina PFC telephone bank center.

The President addressed the crowd gathered for his visit.

The President returned to his motorcade.
1:13 p.m. SATURDAY

The President motored from the Mecklenburg County PFC Headquarters to the Douglas Municipal Airport.

The President flew by Air Force One Jetstar from Douglas Municipal Airport to Asheville Municipal Airport, Buncombe County, North Carolina. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "E."

The President was greeted by:
- Fred Dorsey, Co-Chairman of the Henderson County, North Carolina PFC
- Mrs. Fred Dorsey
- Albert Jackson, Sheriff of Hendersonville, North Carolina
- Mrs. Albert Jackson
- Boyce A. Whitmeyer, Mayor of Hendersonville, North Carolina
- William Ives, Chairman of the Transylvania County, North Carolina Board of Commissioners
- Mrs. William Ives
- Gary Taylor, Manager of Asheville Municipal Airport
- John R. Folger, County Commissioner for Asheville County, North Carolina

The President flew by helicopter from Asheville Municipal Airport to the Asheville Mall helicopter landing zone. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "A."

The President was greeted by:
- Orville D. Coward, Chairman of the 11th Congressional District of North Carolina PFC
- Mrs. Orville D. Coward
- Wayne Montgomery, Co-Chairman of the Buncombe County, North Carolina PFC
- Mrs. Wayne Montgomery
- Robert Ling, Vice Chairman of the Buncombe County, North Carolina PFC
- David L. Jones, Secretary of the Department of Corrections for North Carolina
- Wilma Sherrill, Secretary of the North Carolina Republican Executive Committee
- Otis B. Michael, City Councilman for Asheville, North Carolina

The President greeted members of the local press.
The President and Governor Holshouser returned to their motorcade.

The President and Governor Holshouser motored from the Asheville Mall helicopter landing zone to the main entrance of the Asheville Mall, 3 South Tunnel Road.

The President went to the platform.

The President was introduced by Governor Holshouser.

The President addressed the crowd gathered for his visit. Members of the press

The President and Governor Holshouser returned to their motorcade.

The President and Governor Holshouser motored from Asheville Mall to the Asheville Mall Movie Theatre.

The President went to the lobby of the Asheville Mall Movie Theatre.

The President attended a reception for North Carolina State PFC volunteers. For a list of attendees, see APPENDIX "F." Members of the press

The President and Governor Holshouser returned to their motorcade.

The President and Governor Holshouser motored from the Asheville Mall Movie Theatre to the Asheville Mall helicopter landing zone.

The President flew by helicopter from the Asheville Mall helicopter landing zone to Asheville Municipal Airport. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "A."

The President and Governor Holshouser returned to their motorcade.

The President and Governor Holshouser motored from Asheville Municipal Airport to Morrison Field, Avery County, North Carolina.
The President was greeted by:

Charles L. Buchanan, Mayor (R-Spruce Pine, Mitchell County, North Carolina)
Mrs. Charles L. Buchanan
Charles B. Von Cannon, Mayor (R-Banner Elk, Avery County, North Carolina)

The President and Governor Holshouser went to the platform. For a list of platform guests, see APPENDIX "G."

The President was introduced by Governor Holshouser.

The President addressed the crowd gathered for his visit.

The President and Governor Holshouser returned to their motorcade.

Enroute, the President greeted members of the Avery High Mountain Cloggers, a local mountain dancing group.

The President and Governor Holshouser motored from Morrison Field to Lenoir Rhyne College, Hickory, North Carolina.

The President was greeted by:

Congressman James T. Broyhill (R-North Carolina)
Gene Sigmon, Chairman of the Catawba County, North Carolina PFC
Julian Whitnar, Mayor of Hickory, North Carolina
James M. Unglaube, Dean of Lenoir Rhyne College
Kara Wegoner, 3rd grade student who wrote to the President concerning protection of the atmosphere
Carolyn Neale, 3rd grade student who wrote to the President concerning protection of the atmosphere

The President went to the holding room in the Lenoir Rhyne College Gymnasium.

The President went to the offstage announcement area.

The President greeted Governor Holshouser.

The President participated in a Citizens Forum.

The President and Governor Holshouser went to the platform in the gymnasium. For a list of platform guests, see APPENDIX "H."
9:28 p.m. SATURDAY

ACTIVITY

9:28

The President was introduced by Governor Holshouser.

9:30

The President addressed approximately 3,700 persons attending the Citizens Forum. Members of the press

9:41

The President participated in a question and answer session.

10:21

The President returned to his motorcade.

10:46

The President flew by Air Force One Jetstar from Hickory Municipal Airport to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "I."

11:42

The President flew by helicopter from Andrews AFB to the South Grounds of the White House. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "A."

11:55

The President returned to the second floor Residence.

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HELIPOSEER PASSENGER MANIFESTS

March 20, 1976

FROM: SOUTH GROUNDS, THE WHITE HOUSE

TO: ANDREWS AFB, MARYLAND

The President
Richard B. Cheney, Assistant
Stuart Spencer, Acting Chairman of the President Ford Committee
Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary
Robert A. Mead, Television Adviser
Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician

TO: ASHEVILLE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT, ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

TO: ASHEVILLE MALL

The President
Governor James Holshouser (R-North Carolina)
Terrence O'Donnell, Aide
Mr. Cheney
Mr. Spencer
Mr. Nessen
Mr. Mead
Rear Adm. Lukash

FROM: ASHEVILLE MALL

TO: ASHEVILLE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

The President
Governor Holshouser
Mr. O'Donnell
Mr. Cheney
Mr. Spencer
Mr. Nessen
Mr. Mead
Rear Adm. Lukash

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FROM: ANDREWS AFB, MARYLAND
TO: SOUTH GROUNDS, THE WHITE HOUSE

The President
Mr. Cheney
Mr. Spencer
Mr. Nessen
Mr. Mead
Rear Adm. Lukash
APPENDIX "B"

PASSENGER MANIFEST
AIR FORCE ONE 12492
MISSION 154
Andrews AFB, Washington DC to Charlotte, NC
20 Mar 1976  Dep: 7:52am  Arr: 8:51am  +59  347SM

1. THE PRESIDENT
2. Mr. Richard Cheney, Assistant
3. Admiral William Lukash, Physician
4. Mr. Stu Spencer, Acting Chairman of the President Ford Committee
5. Captain Charles Mead, Air Force Aide
6. Mr. Richard Kaiser, Special Agent in Charge, Presidential Protective
7. Mr. Ronald Nessen, Press Secretary /Division, USSS

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MECKLENBURG COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA "SALUTE TO CONGRESSMAN JAMES MARTIN" BREAKFAST

Woodlawn Holiday Inn
Charlotte, North Carolina
March 20, 1976

Guests seated at the President's Table

The President
Congressman James G. Martin (R-North Carolina)
Zack Smith, former Republican Chairman for Mecklenburg County, North Carolina
Phil Gerdes, Chairman of the 9th Congressional District of North Carolina President Ford Committee (PFC)
Charles R. Jonas, former Congressman (R-North Carolina)
J.M. "Jim" Peden, Jr., Co-Chairman of the North Carolina State PFC
Mrs. Parks M. (Margaret) King, Jr., Co-Chairman of the North Carolina State PFC
APPENDIX "D"

Attendance not confirmed.

30TH ANNUAL STATE CONVENTION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF THE FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

Charlotte Civic Center
Charlotte, North Carolina
March 20, 1976

Platform Guests:

The President
Ann Cooper, Vice President, Central Division High School, District V, North Carolina Association of the Future Homemakers of America
Hazel G. Tripp, North Carolina State Future Homemakers of America Adviser
Governor James E. Holshouser (R-North Carolina)
Congressman James G. Martin (R-North Carolina)
FHA Officers
FHA Chapter Presidents
APPENDIX "E"

PASSENGER MANIFEST

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AIR FORCE ONE 12492
MISSION 154
Charlotte, NC to Asheville, NC
20 Mar 1976 Dep: 1:37pm Arr: 2:17pm +40 196SM

1. THE PRESIDENT
2. Mr. Richard Cheney, Assistant
3. Governor James Heflinhouse (R-North Carolina)
4. Admiral William Lukash, Physician
5. Mr. Stu Spencer, Acting Chairman of the President Ford Committee
6. Captain Charles Head, Air Force Aide
7. Mr. Richard Keiser, Special Agent in Charge, Presidential Protective Division, United States Secret Service
A list of guests attending the reception was not available for inclusion in the President's diary.
APPENDIX "G"

Attendance not confirmed.

PLATFORM GUESTS FOR CAMPAIGN RALLY
Harrison Field
Avery County, North Carolina
March 20, 1976

Hubert Haynes, Sheriff of Marion, North Carolina
Howard Daniels, Sheriff of Avery County, North Carolina
Governor James E. Holshouser Jr. (R-North Carolina)
Lloyd Hise, Jr., Chairman of the Mitchell County, North Carolina
President Ford Committee and Chairman of the Mitchell County
Republican Party

Lecturn
Phyllis Long, Chairman of the Avery County, North Carolina PFC
Brownlow Moffit, Sheriff of Mitchell County, North Carolina
Kermit Banks, Sheriff of Yancy County, North Carolina
LENOIR RHINE COLLEGE CITIZENS FORUM

Lenoir Rhyne College Gymnasium
Hickory, North Carolina
March 20, 1976

A list of platform guests for the citizens forum was not available for inclusion in the President's diary.
APPENDIX "E"

PASSENGER MANIFEST

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AIR FORCE ONE 12492
MISSION 154
Hickory, NC to Andrews AFB, Washington DC
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1. THE PRESIDENT
2. Mr. Richard Cheney, Assistant
3. Admiral William Lukash, Physicain
4. Mr. Stu Spencer, Acting Chairman of the President Ford Committee
5. Captain Charles Mead, Air Force Aide
6. Mr. Richard Keiser, SIAC, PPD, USSS
7. Mr. Ronald Nessen, Press Secretary

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